

## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A coated product wherein the product is coated with a coating composition comprising hydrogenated indigestible starch syrup as a binding agent.  
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2. The coated product of claim 1 wherein the coating composition further comprising a bulking agent.
3. The coated product of claim 1 or 2 wherein the hydrogenated indigestible starch syrup is obtainable by a process comprising: hydrolyzing  
10 pyrodextrin with a combination of alpha-amylase and debranching enzyme by dual stage hydrolysis to obtain an indigestible starch syrup, and hydrogenating said syrup.
4. The coated product of claim 1 or 2 wherein the hydrogenated indigestible starch syrup contains dietary fiber in an amount of 30 to 60%.
- 15 5. The coated product of claim 1 or 2 wherein the coating is sugarless coating.
6. The coated product of claim 1 or 2 wherein the coated product is a chewing gum.